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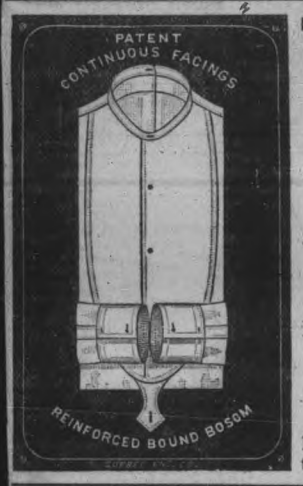

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THE DEMOCRATS AT WORK.

Preliminary Business Mostly Cleared Out of the Way at this Morning's Session.

Permanent Officers Elected and Various Committee Reports Adopted.

Chairman Wilson's Address—The Convention to Recommence Work at 5 O'Clock.

CHICAGO, June 22.—10:30 a.m.—The morning is fair and cool. The galleries of the Wigwam are filling up rapidly this morning. Many ladies are already here. Many new badges are seen this morning. One that seems to excite the most enthusiasm is a white satin bearing the portrait of Mrs. Cleveland. Another strip is printed "Baby Ruth." At the head of both is a little doll.

10:55.—It is being discussed whether there will be any nomination to-day. The opinion is that if one is made it will not be before evening, with the chances largely in favor of the vote being taken to-morrow. Tammany and the Hill delegates from New York are dying hard, and the Boies people are still on the face of the earth. Only one man is generally discussed—Cleveland.

11:09 a.m.—The various committees convened in their rooms at 10 o'clock. It is understood that they have made only fair progress with their work.

11:11 a.m. Chairman Owens is on the platform.

11:19 a.m.—Great cheering as Governor Roswell P. Flower takes his seat with the New York delegation. The band plays "Ta-Ra-Ra-Boom-De-Ra."

11:21 a.m.—Governor Flower is surrounded by a crowd of delegates shaking hands. The body of the Wigwam is now filled, and there are few vacant seats in the galleries.

11:22 a.m.—These bulletins will be furnished to the ex-President and Mrs. Cleveland at Gray Gables, Buzzard Bay, by a special wire furnished by the Postal Telegraph Co.

11:31 a.m.—The band ceases and the chairman calls to order. Prayer by Rev. S. Hendry, of the M.E. Church.

11.34 a.m.—Prayer concluded, and the Iowa delegation, bearing their big Boies banner, march in, and the band plays "My Maryland."

11.43 a.m.—Loud cheering as Roger Q. Mills takes the platform behind the chairman.

11.44 a.m.—Congressman Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, moves that Mr. Mills be requested to address the convention. Carried with a will. Mr. Johnson and Mr. Goodman of Missouri are appointed a committee to escort Mr. Mills to the platform.

11.46 a.m.—Mr. Mills was taken sick, and had to be taken to his hotel in a carriage. Calls for Palmer.

11.49 a.m.—Senator Palmer is invited to address the convention. Great cheering as Senator Palmer comes forward.

12 noon.—Senator Palmer concludes a ten minutes' address.

John R. Fellows is invited to address the convention. Mr. Fellows jumped on a chair to speak.

Mr. Fellows said he was a delegate and preferred to wait until the proper time.

The committee on credentials reports and its report is unanimously adopted.

New Mexico and Arizona are to have six votes each.

12:08—Ex-Congressman J. G. Lamb, of Indiana, read the credential report. Mr. Fordrice read the report of the committee on permanent organization. The latter was adopted unanimously. W. L. Wilson, of West Virginia, is permanent chairman and A. P. Sherin, of Indiana, permanent secretary.

12:26—Chairman Owen presents the permanent chairman, Wm. L. Wilson.

Mr. Wilson in acknowledging the honor done him said that much as they owed to their party they owed more to their country. Mr. Wilson's address abounded with points that pleased the convention. He offered a severe arraignment of the Republican party, saying that it was the party of a section and a class, and not of the people or the country as a whole. Mr. Wilson referred to Major McKinley's statement that the Democrats wanted to raise the money from our own people instead of from a protective tariff on foreign goods. Mr. Wilson said the Democratic party pleaded guilty to the charge. The American people were able and willing to support their own government, as it is not a pirate country. He said reciprocity was the battle cry of the Republicans this campaign. Wilson said in closing: As your presiding officer it would be unbecoming in me to express an opinion concerning the candidates, but I will say that the man you select will receive no telegrams of congratulation from foreign castles.

12:43 p. m.—As Mr. Wilson concluded the delegates arose enmasse and cheered him. His words made a great hit.

12:50 p.m.—The report on order of business is submitted by Mr. English. The next in order is the report of the resolution and platform committee, and after that comes the nomination of a candidate for president.

12:55 p. m.—Mr. Phelps, of Missouri, presents a metal gavel to the chairman, with the usual accompaniment.

1 p.m.—The roll of states is being called for national committeemen.

Ex-Governor Campbell, of Ohio, is invited to address the convention, and there is great cheering as he steps forward to the platform. Campbell refers to Wilson's address as matchless and magnificent. Campbell closes and there are yells for "Flower."

1:28 p.m.—On motion of Hensal, of Pennsylvania, Fower was invited to speak. Up to this point Cleveland's name has not been mentioned in convention.

1:30 p.m.—A committee has been appointed to wait on the committee on platform to find out how soon they will be able to report.

1:45 p.m.—After speeches by Henri Watterson and Bourke Cochran, the convention adjourned till 5 o'clock.

The delegates, as yesterday, were slow in arriving, and the opening of the convention was again delayed. At 11:30 Chairman Owen called the gathering to order and after prayer asked for the report of the committee on credentials. This was not ready for some time, but when submitted it was unanimous, and was adopted. It favored the seating of the regular Alabama delegates, while the contestants were given seats on the floor. This also applied to Pennsylvania, Ohio and Utah. The report gave New Mexico and Arizona six votes each. The passage of the report of the committee on rules makes the unit rule hold in the convention.

CLEVELAND MEN CONFDENT.

CHICAGO, June 22.—It is said this morning that the Cleveland men are confident of 626 votes on the first ballot. This is more than enough to elect their candidate. They are anxious for the result, and have determined to push for a ballot to-day, leaning the selection of Vice-President for to-morrow. One of the morning papers says a combination has been formed to beat Cleveland, and that it has more than one-third of the delegates in favor of it. Several names have been mentioned of those among whom a combination may be effected. To further this combination it is said an effort will be made in the convention to abrogate the state unit rule.

BANQUETTED.

The Westminster Bar Entertain Mr. Justice Walkem at the Douglas House.

NEW WESTMINSTER, June 22.—In honor of Mr. Justice Walkem, a very pleasant social event occurred at the Hotel Douglas last night, the occasion being a farewell dinner given by the members of the Westminster bar to Mr. Justice Walkem on his returning home to Victoria, after having done six months of judicial work here in place of Mr. Justice McCreight, who has been having a vacation. The compliment was fully esteemed by the learned judge, and a most pleasant evening was enjoyed.

CHAUNCEY DEPEW.

The Quidnuncs Are Bound to Give Him an Office of Some Kind.

NEW YORK, June 22.—A Washington special to the Press says it is reported that Chauncey M. Depew will probably be made chairman of the Republican national committee. It is said that the committee will meet here Monday for organization. The only improbable part of the story is the fact that Mr. Depew is not a member of the committee, but the precedent is quoted of Mr. Dudley's connection with the committee as treasurer. It is said that this and not the Secretaryship of State formed the subject of discussion between the President and Mr. Depew when the latter was at the White House.

NEW YORK, June 22.—The Press today says: Vice-President Walter Webb, of the N.Y.C. railway, now on vacation in Europe, has been summoned home by cable. He sails from Liverpool today. This looks as if Mr. Depew is to be the next Secretary of State and Mr. Webb the next President of the New York Central railway. It is understood that the President has not formally tendered to Mr. Depew the portfolio of State, but he is ready to do so when Mr. Depew signifies his absolute readiness to accept. To be the successor of James G. Blaine in any office is high enough honor, but it is probable that no man ever resigned so many offices to accept a new one as Mr. Depew will resign if he enters President Harrison's cabinet. He is now either president or director of seventeen of the largest companies in the country, and he will have to resign from every one of them to accept the office of Secretary of State. Then he will, for the first time in thirty years, devote all his thoughts, energies and talents to a single post of duty.

Harrison's Summer Cottage.

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Reported Discovery of a Flow of Natural Gas Near the Ancient Capital.

Halifax Celebration—Early Sessions of the House of Commons Started To-day.

LACHUTE, Que., June 22.—Three men were blown to atoms and one boy was seriously injured yesterday at the Brownsburg cartridge factory, which some years ago was established by Captain Howard, of the Connecticut National Guard and of Gatling gun fame. At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon a terrific explosion occurred, which even at a distance of four miles was distinctly heard in Lachute. The explosion took place in a building set apart from the factory for the purpose of loading detonators. The building was blown to atoms, and nothing now remains of it but a mass of bloodstained debris. Richard Burke was blown through the door, and was the only one who got out of the building alive. Those killed are: James Kearnes, of Moutreal; William Quinn, of North Maisonneuve, and John Curran, foreman.

Fortunately only four persons were at work in this building at the time, and although the explosion thoroughly demolished the detonator workshop, the other buildings and their occupants sustained nothing more serious than a shaking up that made the window panes rattle.

Ottawa News.

OTTAWA, June 22.—The House met at 11 to-day and took up the redistribution bill without making any progress.

Judge Burbidge gave judgment in the Exchequer Court yesterday, in the case of Queen vs. Clark Savona, Douglas J. Pafford and Johnston, all being exappropriation cases in connection with the building of the C. P. R. in British Columbia. Judgment for defendants was given in each case with costs.

Peter Rivet, Clerk of French Journals in the House of Commons, died yesterday morning. He has been 37 years in service.

The House in committee last night went through most of the Quebec clauses of the redistribution bill. Mr. Laurier moved to strike out the whole Quebec section, leaving the representation of that province as it is at present, but his amendment was of course rejected. Ottawa county is divided north and south, one division being called Wright and the other Labelle.

Maritime Province Events.

HALIFAX, June 22.—The 143rd anniversary of the founding of Halifax was celebrated to-day. The elaborate programme of sports and events was spoiled by a heavy downpour of rain.

The oldest woman in Nova Scotia is dead. She was Mrs. John McMillan, of West Branch, Pictou, aged 105 years.

Potato bugs are reported to be swarming in all sections of Prince Edward's Island.

Natural Gas at Quebec.

QUEBEC, June 22.—It is stated that a valuable flow of natural gas has been struck at Lorette, near this city.

PROVINCIAL NEWS.

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, June 22.—The citizens generally are indignant that new cases of smallpox should be brought to the city by the China steamers, apparently for the lack of efficient quarantine precautions. The matter is being kept as quiet as possible, and the patients are supposed to be safely isolated, with all necessary precautions, but further cases will lead to decisive steps being taken, as this matter is not only important to Vancouver, but to the whole province.

J. G. Goldberg, of the Cheapside clothing house, has purchased McConnell's wholesale dry goods and furnishing business. Mayor Cope, his partner, and Mr. McConnell are organizing a company to manufacture clothing, with a capital stock of $100,000.

H.M.S. Warspite will participate in the Dominion Day celebration here.

Tupper Thompson, who temporarily escaped by being engaged nursing a smallpox patient, is being taken in charge on the old seduction case.

The doctors, it is reported, missed a case of smallpox on board the Empress of Japan. The symptoms developed very quickly, and yesterday the man was removed, according to the authority of an officer of the Empress, to Deadman's Island. No information could be gained from the authorities.

Six by-laws aggregating $570,000, for the public improvements, received endorsation by the ratepayers yesterday. To complete the waterworks purchase, $60,000, there were 255 for and 24 against. Extension and perfection of the waterworks, $114,000, 253 for and 25 against. Extension and improvement of streets, $95,000, 216 for and 64 against. Purchase of school sites, $65,000, 232 for and 45 against. Erection of school buildings, $85,000, 232 for and 47 against. Sewerage system, $150,000, 243 for and 35 against.

The Chinamen on the Empress have been quarantined in a shack. The steamer will not be detained.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, June 22.—As a result of the inquest into the fire in South Westminster, the jury returned an open verdict of incendiarism.

J. G. Grimshaw, Victoria, has been appointed secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association to replace Secretary Davie, resigned.

Sallie Thomas, against whom the police have a warrant, charging her with the theft of $500 from Nellie Parnell, left for Nanaimo last night. Why the police are not executing the warrant is a mystery.

Two young girls were on Tuesday spirited away to Seattle by a procures at least that is the surmise. The young girls were flashily attired and showed manifest uneasiness in waiting for the Seattle train. The woman did not put in an appearance till the word "all aboard" was given by the conductor, and she kept aloof from them. The girls are not known, but the authorities say the woman is an old timer, and have telegraphed the Seattle authorities to be on the outlook.

GALIANO ISLAND.

The meeting of the settlers on Galiano Island for the purpose of electing trustees for the new school, took place some time back, when Messrs. Stone, E. Winstanley and C. Groth were unanimously elected, Mr. Stone acting in the capacity of secretary of the board. With these three live trustees to act, things are being rushed, and tenders are being invited for the erection of a school house, the plans and specifications of which, if carried out, will give a fine building to that place.

Mr. Finlay Murcheson, the respected Justice of the Peace for Galiano Island, and one of the early pioneer settlers of that place, celebrated his 60th birthday the other day and entertained his numerous friends in a very sumptuous manner. Though rather at an advanced age, Mr. Murcheson still retains his vigor, health and energy and is considered a good athlete.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

THE OAR.

AN EXPLANATION.

A word of explanation is due the four-oared crew mentioned in last night's issue. They did not lose trial race; they won it, but the other four claimed a foul and the winners agreed to toss up for it. It was the toss-up they lost, not the race. They are in reality the fastest crew in the city in the style of boat in which the race was rowed. If they can be brought together again next year it is quite probable that they will make it extremely interesting work for any crew they may be pitted against. The crew consists of Messrs. Gregory, Fisher, Pemberton and Haynes.

LACROSSE.

There will be no lacrosse match here on Saturday. The Vancouver second team which was expected to play the second team of the home club sent over word last night that they could not come. The boys naturally feel very much disappointed at the action or want of action of the Vancouvers.

The members of the Victoria Lacrosse club are moving for a special general meeting to be held to-morrow evening, to reconsider the executive's report re Frank Doherty, and to consider the resignations of President Macgurn and Treasurer Lowe.

BASEBALL.

A game of ball for Saturday between the V. A. C.'s and James Bay Club is not in the prospective. Walcott, change pitcher for the James Bays, left for Frisco, and Jackson is not in condition to work in the box, therefore a match between these clubs will be postponed indefinitely. The V. A. C.'s are eager for a game, but will have to wait.

CRICKET.

The first eleven of the Victoria Cricket Club will go to Vancouver on Dominion Day.

The junior officers of H. M. S. Warspite yesterday defeated the Corrig College boys with 107 runs to 48.

THE GUN.

A special meeting of the Victoria Gun Club will be held in their rooms at the Hotel Victoria, this evening at 8 o'clock, when important business of the club will receive consideration.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Steamship Empress of Japan sails for the Orient on Sunday.

Steamer Maude arrived from Nanaimo to-day with coal.

Capt. Sabiston, sr., of Nanaimo, the oldest pilot in B. C., was in town yesterday.

Steamer Wilmington arrived from Portland this morning with 1000 tons of freight.

British bark Irvine has been chartered to load salmon at Astoria for the United Kingdom at 30 s.

The steamship Phra Nang, of the Northern Pacific Oriental line, is expected to leave Tacoma on Sunday. She will coal at Departure Bay.

Steamer Cariboo Fly went down the Straits to test her engines and adjust her compasses. The engine broke down and the steamer had to be towed in.

The excursion steamer Queen arrived last night at the outer wharf at 8:30 She has a large party of excursionists, who spent last evening in viewing the city. She left again at five this morning.

The crew for the steamer Douglas will be signed to-morrow. Capt Walbran will have charge of the steamer, Thomas Gunn will be first officer, Jas. Neavin, chief engineer and J. Sutton, chief stewart. She will not carry any Chinamen.

A passenger on the steamer T. W. Carter, thinking that a collision was imminent between the steamer Islander and the Carter at the outer wharf last night, jumped into the sea and nearly lost his life. He was picked and dried on the C.P.N. Co's. wharf.

The report of Captain Rooke, of H. M. S. Champion, regarding the government steamer Quadra has reached Ottawa, and gives the government the same information published some weeks ago in the TIMES. There will be little difficulty in raising the vessel.

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EDMONTON'S TROUBLE.

Minister Dewdney's Dispatch—The People Determined.

EDMONTON, June 21.—The Minister of the Interior has wired the mayor that "In consequence of complaints from immigrants arriving on the south side of the river, regarding the long distance from the railway station and the cost and inconvenience of ferryage, necessary to reach the land office to make homestead entries, the agent was ordered to temporarily remove so many of the books and records requisite to gave facilities at the station. The mounted police have been instructed to effect the removal, and it is expected the mayor and council will assist in maintaining order. Agent Anderson had nothing to do with the removal, which was decided upon solely for the public convenience and in the public interest." The mayor replied that Agent Anderson tried to remove the whole of the office furniture, books and effects, and asking that if a branch office be opened on the south side, that the main office should remain on the north side, as nine-tenths of the population would be inconvenienced by the removal. Two hundred and fifty men assembled at the land office and discussed the matter, finally deciding to await an answer to the above telegram. The citizens are quiet but determined. The land office effects are still in the wagon on the street, guarded by the mounted police. One prominent fact in favor of the contention of the citizens is that there is not one immigrant now in the sheds on the south side, while the shed on the north side is full, fifteen having arrived yesterday.

CANADIAN NOTES.

News by Mail and Wire From All Parts of the Dominion.

Hon. Edward Blake has gone to Murray Bay.

Work upon the mammoth Canadian Pacific hotel at Quebec began yesterday morning.

The petition against the return of Mr. Maclean to the Commons for East York asks for his disqualification.

A High School student named John McKenzie, aged 17, son of Hector McKenzie, Kincardine township, was drowned lately at Kincardine.

William Stephenson, a Toronto printer, aged 38, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor. The reason assigned is domestic trouble.

Judgment was given yesterday in the North Victoria election case, quashing the petition against the return of Mr. Hughes, on the grounds of no service.

The Empire's Montreal correspondent says he is authorized to say there is no truth in the report that the C.P.R. is seeking terminals in the vicinity of New York.

The steam barge O. Clinton, with 18,000 bushels of wheat from Chicago, bound for Kingston, went ashore yesterday morning at the Main Ducks during a fog, and is said to be full of water.

Dalton McCarthy, Q.C., M.P., left yesterday for New York, en route to England, where he will represent the interests of the Manitoba Government in the argument before the Judicial Committee of the Imperial Privy Council as to the validity of the Manitoba School Act.

Rewards have been offered amounting to $1000 for the recovery of the body of Kjosterund, the ex-mounted policeman who was drowned at Fort Kipp a week ago. The day of drowning a cablegram was received at McLeod announcing that he had been bequeathed over $40,000 by the death of his mother in Norway.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company have discussed the Atlantic steamship question in all its bearings, within the last few weeks, and information is being gathered on the subject from every available and reliable quarter. Last Monday evening President Van Horne left for Grand Metis, Rimouski county, where Lord Mount Stephen is residing, and it is said the most important results will come out of the interview.

The preliminary investigation into the charge of malfeasance in office against ex-Premier Mercier has been concluded. Alphonse Charlebois was the only witness examined. He swore that the $14,000 cheque in payment of the Government subsidy to the Montreal and Ottawa railway was part of the subscription of $25,000 which he had made to the Liberal election committee for the provincial elections in June, 1890, and that the amount was paid to C. A. Geoffrion, treasurer.

Some months ago Robert Shaw, a lawer, was fined $5 and costs by the Kingston Police Magistrate, Mr. Duff, for disturbing a political meeting in the City Hall during the last Dominion contest and while Hon. Mackenzie Bowell was making an address. Recently, at the County Court, Judge Wilkison quashed the conviction and granted Mr. Shaw's appeal on the ground that the police officer had no right to interfere when Mr. Shaw was asking questions.

Mr. James Anderson, proprietor of a livery stable in Galt, tied his horse in front of the Queen's hotel while he went in to dinner, and shortly after the engine at the old Grand Trunk was doing some shunting. The horse broke loose and ran across the Queen's square, where it left the buggy, with the exception of the shafts, and ran down West Main street. When opposite Scott & Hogg's egg warehouse Mr. Henry Chater ran out to stop the horse, when it knocked him over. He was picked up shortly after and his neck was found to be broken. Mr. Chater was a married man about 60 years old and leaves a large grown up family.

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Canadian Matters in London.

MONTREAL, June 21.—The Star's special cable from London says: The papers have published accounts of President Harrison's threat to retaliate against Canada because of her canal policy. Your correspondent saw Hon. Charles Tupper this morning at the Foreign Office, where he is busily engaged in the Behring Sea matter. On being interviewed on the subject Mr. Tupper ridiculed the idea that Canadians would be alarmed at President Harrison's threats. He denied that Canada discriminated against United States vessels. They were treated just the same as Canadian vessels. The matter was discussed at the recent Washington conference, but without waiting for Canada's reply President Harrison hastened to Congress with threats against Canada. Mr. Tupper considered this a mere political trick.

The Canadian delegates to the Congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire are commencing to arrive. The Congress is about to meet to settle on a common plan of action, and hope to agree upon a national platform. The majority of the delegates seem to favor a preferential tariff. A few, including some of the Montreal delegates, urge lower colonial tariffs, with special regard to the British trade.

Ravachol Tried For Murder.

PARIS, June 21.—The trial of Ravachol, the Anarchist murderer, grave robber, etc., began to-day at the Loire Assize at Mont Brizon. He is accused of no less than five murders, including that of the hermit of Chambles. Ravachol was in convict garb and presented a thoroughly cowed appearance, far different from the bravado he exhibited in Paris. Besides the murder of the old hermit, Ravachol is accused of the atrocious crimes commonly known as the Varizelle murders. The trial to-day had an exciting interruption. One of the jurymen fell in a fit and was carried out of court foaming at the mouth. This made it necessary to reconstruct the jury and the trial was then proceeded with. The prisoner gazed calmly at the spectators while the charges were being recited. In reply to the presiding judge he said that he did not premeditate the murder of the hermit, but merely killed him for the good of society. The social world was so badly organized that it was necessary for the producers who had no share in the profits of their own labors to kill in order to live. This reply created a sensation in court.

The B. C. Crofter Loan.

LONDON, June 21.—In the House of Commons to-day the Radicals strongly opposed the bill authorizing a loan to British Colnmbia to enable the Scotch Crofters to settle. The ground of opposition was that there were plenty of lands in Scotland for all the people if the game preserves should be abolished. Sir John Swinburne, Liberal, urged that British Columbia ought to pay full interest on the loan, in view of the fact that the colony imposed a heavy tax on British imports. The bill passed its second reading by a vote of 66 to 22.

Pulitzer's Nose was in Danger.

LONDON, June 20.—Harry Vane Millbank came over to London on Monday from Paris for Ascot week. He said he and Burrowe visited Paris for the purpose of pulling the nose of Joseph Pulitzer, of the New York World, owing to that journal's criticisms upon their conduct in the Drayton affair. Seeing Pulitzer, and finding he was afflicted with partial blindness and was in very delicate health, they decided to wreak their vengeance upon some other member of the World when an opportunity would offer.

Edwin Gould to Marry.

NEW YORK, June 21.—The engagement is announced of Mr. Edwin Gould, son of Jay Gould, to Miss Sarah Cantine Shrady, daughter of George F. Shrady, of New York.

For Cyclone Sufferers.

QUEBEC, June 21.—Collections were made in some of the Roman Catholic churches here yesterday for the sufferers by last week's cyclone.

Cable Notes.

PARIS, June 21.—Cholera is extending in the manufacturing suburbs, eight deaths having occurred at Aubervillieres, five miles north of this place.

LONDON, June 21.—Among the passengers sailing on the Teutonic to-day was Herbert Booth, who goes to take command of the Salvation Army in Canada.

PARIS, June 21.—Le Journal des Debats accuses King Humbert of seeking, in his German visit, the hand of a Hohenzollern for his son and a political captain for his new ministry.

LONDON, June 21.—At a confab today with Messrs. McCarthy, Dillon and Healy, Rt. Hon. Mr. Gladstone urged that concessions be made to the Parnellites in order to prevent the Parnellites and anti-Parnellite candidates from being arrayed against each other in the general elections.

BRUSSELS, June 21.—The results of the second ballot in the Belgian House of Parliament shows that the House has 92 Conservatives to 60 Liberals, and the Senate 46 Conservatives to 30 Liberals.

CHICAGO, June 21.—It has been decided that the body of Emmons Blaine will be interred here.

Mothers

Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mothers' friend. 35 doses, 35 cents.

A whole window full of French coffee pots being sold for 75cts each at Sehl, Hastie & Erskine's.

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A Royal Betrothal.

BRELIN, June 21.—The garrison of Potsdam paraded to-day in the Luzstgarden before the King and Queen of Italy, the Emperor William and the Empress Augusta. After the parade, the betrothal was proclaimed of the Kaiser's sister Margaret to Prince Frederick Karl Louis Constantine von Hessen, son of the late Frederick of Hesse, who was born at the Chateau of Panfor, in Holstein, May 1st, 1868, and who is a lieutenant in the first regiment of Prussian Dragoons of the Guard at Berlin. The Princess Margaret is the youngest sister of the Kaiser and was born at Potsdam, April 22nd, 1872. The announcement has put an end to the various rumors that the Princess would be married to this and that heir to a throne. She has been mentioned as a probable bride of the Czarowitch and the Prince of Naples, and other future potentates. It is said that the betrothal is a love affair.

P. O. Home Site.

The special committee appointed to select a suitable site for the new Protestant Orphans' Home will meet at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning. It is understood that a large number of proposals have been made, but as yet only two offers of free sites have been received.

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4:30 p.m.	Ar Victoria Lv†	8:30 p.m.

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11:00 p.m.	*Lv Seattle Ar	3:00 p.m.
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	Lv Kingston Lv	
3:00 a.m.	Lv Pt Gamble Lv	11:00 a.m.
4:00 a.m.	Lv Pt Ludlow Lv	10:00 a.m.
6:00 a.m.	Ar Pt Towns'd Lv†	8:00 a.m.

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8:45 a.m.	Lv Edmonds Lv	12:20 p.m.
10:30 a.m.	Lv Muckilteo Lv	10:45 a.m.
11:00 a.m.	Lv Everett Lv	9:45 a.m.
12:00 m.	Lv Marysville Lv	9:30 a.m.
2:00 p.m.	Lv Lowell Lv	8:00 a.m.
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OLAF KRARER.

The Eskimo Lecturess Never Saw Greenland —A Pretender.

One of the "Star" course of entertainments given in the Victoria Theatre a year or so ago was a lecture on Greenland and Iceland by a little Eskimo lady, named Olaf Krarer. The lecture was a simple, unadorned story of Olaf's life as a child on the northeast coast of Greenland, where she was born about 35 years ago. She said that she never saw white men until six shipwrecked Icelandic fishermen were thrown on the coast where her people lived, and that later these white men induced three Eskimo families, including her own, to travel with them over the ice on sledges to Iceland, where she was taken in hand by missionaries and educated. She says that the sledge journey occurred in or about 1872.

A Mr. Hulbert, of West Winsted, Conn., heard the woman lecture, and believing her story to be false, sent a letter to the Sun, giving an abstract of her narrative. The Sun at once declared the woman's story to be fraudulent, and upon the occasion of her lecture in New York city on March 22nd last, it analyzed her statements, and fully exposed her untruthfulness. Meanwhile Mr. Hulbert had forwarded an accurate report of the woman's story to Mr. N. C. Gram, a merchant of Dyrefjord, Iceland, and the Consular Agent of the United States of that place, with the request that he inform the writer whether Miss Krarer's assertions had any basis in fact. Mr. Hulbert has received this reply:—

DYREFJORD, Iceland, April 15, 1892.

DEAR SIR,—Your favor of February 6th is just received, and in the absence of Mr. N. C. Gram I, who am the manager of his business here, will give you the information you wish for. The young woman you mention must be an impostor. In the first place Eskimos, although generally small, are not known to be of such diminutive size as you state this young woman to be. The aborigines of the northeast coast of Greenland are heathens, and come very seldom into contact with white men. Iceland sailors never go near the Greenland coast, and none have ever been shipwrecked there, at least during the past 40 years. Travelling over ice between Greenland and Iceland is quite out of the question, as there are always large spaces of open water, often many miles in extent. Missionaries do not exist at all on this island. By this information you will see that this young woman's story is feigned all through. Yours very truly, F. R. WENDEL.

NOT A VERY HAPPY FAMILY.

The Divorce of the Daughter of Alexander Dumas.

The world of Parision fashion has been somewhat startled by the announcement of the divorce of Colette Lipmann, the eldest daughter of Alexander Dumas, after a union of some twelve years' standing, which was presumably a happy one, writes Lucy Hooper. M. Lipman was particularly devoted to his illustrious father-in-law. When, several years ago, the irrascible painter Jacquet sent to the annual Water Color Exhibition a picture representing the dramatist in the costume and with the accessories of a Jewish vendor of bric-a-brac at an Eastern bazaar, calling his work "A Jew Merchant," in revenge for the sale by Dumas of his large painting, "Foist at the Rendezvous," it was M. Lipmann who took the matter up with considerable energy. He assailed the offensive work with his cane, smashing the glass wherewith it was covered and considerably damaging the frame.

Jacquet was turned out of the Water-Color Society in consequence of his libelous work—what became of that once notorious picture remains a mystery. It is true that the divorce has been pronounced in favor of Mme. Lipmann, showing that her husband was the erring party, but I rather imagine that there were faults on both sides. For the lady has always been looked upon as a decidedly fast and flirtatious personage, of unspotted reputation be it understood, but always given to flirting outrageously with some one or other of the many admirers that her father's celebrity and her own wit and vivacity drew around her.

Some few years ago M. Dumas quarrelled seriously and irretrievably with an elderly married lady who had been his stanch friend for many years, and to whose elegant and hospitable home both he and his family had always been made welcome. The quarrel took rise in one of Mme. Colette's flirtations, the hero of which was an assiduous frequenter of the drawing-room of Mme. X——, the old friend of M. Dumas. To that lady M. Dumas addressed the rather unjustifiable request that she would close doors in future against the young man in question. But that Mme. X—— positively refused to do. "His mother," quoth she, "is one of my oldest and most intimate friends, and I have known the young gentleman in question from his boyhood. I cannot refuse to invite him to my house simply because he pays a certain amount of attention to Mme. Lipmann. Had you not better try, M. Dumas, to control your daughter instead of asking me to strike the name of the son of my old friend from my visiting list?" Thereupon Dumas waxed exceedingly wroth, and told Mme. X—— that she must choose between his friendship and her acquaintance with her obnoxious guest. The lady was not to be persuaded and the dramatist has never since spoken to her. As Mme. Lipmann is a very lively, witty lady, still young, and co-heiress with her sister, Mme. d'Hauterive, to the great wealth of Alexandre Dumas, she will probably marry again before very long.

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MAMMOTHS IN LONDON.

Prehistoric Remains Brought to Light While Digging Sewers.

New York Sun: About three months ago some laborers were digging sewers in the neighborhood of Gordon square, a half mile east of Regent's Park, London. First, they dug through a layer of made ground about six feet thick. Beneath it was ten feet of yellowish brown clay containing pieces of flint and chalk. Under this was about five feet of sand and gravel and then a layer of clayey loam about a foot thick. In this layer a mammoth's tusk was found.

News of the interesting find was sent to Dr. Hicks, secretary of the Geological Society, and scientific experts were detailed to make further investigations. They brought to light a considerable number of bones, and since then the experts of the Geological Society have been identifying the bones and collecting information about the deposits in which they were found. They have just reported the result of their labors to the Geological Society. They say that with the bones which were found in this clayey loam were a considerable number of seeds which belonged to plants that are usual near ponds and in marshy places, and have a wide range from the Arctic circle to the south of Europe. These seeds, therefore, are not helpful in determining the climate of the Thames Valley during the epoch of the mammoth.

The loam in which the bones lay consists of old river drift, and hence, as might be expected, the bones of more than one animal were found. They represent a small rodent, the red deer, the fossil horse and two mammoths. Of the mammoths, one was full grown, and little more of it has been recovered than two large fragments of a tusk, which must have been thirteen feet long. The other mammoth was about half grown, and the bones belonging to it are a very perfect lower jaw and some leg bones. It is probable that both animals were drowned, either by breaking the surface of a frozen river or in a sudden flood which stranded the bodies where they were found.

These are not the only remains of the mammoth that have been discovered in England. A very remarkable case of the finding of mammoth remains was reported in 1879, when in a single pit composed of old river gravels near Cambridge the remains of more than twenty individuals, representing thirteen species of mammals, were found. These animals, besides the mammoth, included a hippopotamus, a rhinoceros, and a species of elephant. The remains of this prehistoric animal in several cases in England have been associated with the relics of man. The first on record was discovered about 1715, when "an elephant's tooth" was found with a now famous flint implement that is preserved in the British Museum. Of recent years either flint implements or mammoth bones have been dug up in gravels at various heights above the Thames. In England, therefore, as well as in America and on the Continent of Europe, proofs have been found that man was contemporaneous with the prehistoric elephant.

A Successful Engagement.

Frohman's "Jane" company closed their two nights' engagement last night at the Victoria with a large and appreciative audience present. The comedietta and the comedy were thoroughly enjoyed, and the audience were kept busy between laughter and applause. This is the first of Charles Frohman's companies to play in Victoria, and the result has been so mutually satisfactory to the theatre goers and the proprietors, that more of these first rate organizations will visit Victoria before long. They are all of the same high order as "Jane" and can be relied upon to provide a night's pure, unadulterated fun.

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Business—Receiving the annual report of the President and Directors, and the Treasurer's statement for the year ending 1st June, and the election of six Directors. According to the Act of Incorporation six of the present twelve Directors representing the subscribers and donors retire by lot, but are eligible for re-election.

H. M. YATES,
Secretary,
57 Government street.
Victoria, B.C., 13th June, 1892.

NOTICE.

The 2nd Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the Queen City Building Loan and Saving Association, Limited, will be held in Sir William Wallace Society's Hall, Broad street, on Wednesday, the 29th June, at 8 p.m.

By order, B. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., June 20, 1892.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the shareholders of the Shuswap and Okanagan Railway Company for the election of Directors and other business will be held at the office of Messrs. Wilson & Wootton, Victoria, on Tuesday, July 5th, 1892, at 11 a.m.

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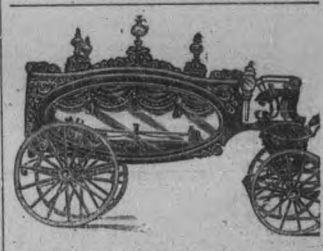

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BRITISH COLUMBIA'S REPRESENTATION.

Recently we had occasion to refer to the discussion raised in the House of Commons by Mr. Mills' question in regard to the representation of British Columbia. Mr. Mills raised a very important legal point, one that should be settled in the interest of this province, and was rewarded by certain of the British Columbia members and newspapers attacking him as an enemy of the province. The discussion came up on clause 1 of the Redistribution Bill, fixing the number of members from each province, and is reported in eastern papers as follows:—

Mr. Mills took the legal point that the Province was not entitled to six members according to its population, that its population only entitled it to four, and it was impossible under the British North America Act for Parliament to give a province larger representation than it was entitled to, just as impossible as to give to a province less representation than it was entitled to. Nothing was clearer in the British North America Act, he said, than that a province could not be admitted into the union except according to the provisions of the act. It was expressly stated in section 146 of the act that when the provinces were admitted by order of Her Majesty in Council it could only be in accordance with the provisions of the act. If larger representation be given a province than is consistent with the provisions of the act it required to be validated by an Imperial act. This had been done in the case of Manitoba, but had not been done in the case of British Columbia. Therefore he raised the point of the power of this Parliament now to give the Province of British Columbia larger representation than she was entitled to according to the provisions of the act.

Sir John Thompson said he did not find the bar referred to in the act itself, and did not feel bound to follow the refinements of interpretation of the member for Bothwell (Mr. Mills). British Columbia had been given a representation of six members in 1872 on the address of this Parliament and the Legislature of British Columbia. He could not propose a reduction without holding that Her Majesty's order-in-Council involved an unjustifiable assumption of authority. He did not feel called upon to take such a position, particularly when it would involve a breach of arrangement with British Columbia entered into by both sides in good faith.

Mr. Mills contended the Minister had not met the point. He contended that if the provisions of this act could be set at naught by an order-in-council it would be easy for the majority from the larger provinces to override the smaller provinces. This constitution, as stated by Lord Carnarvon at the time it was introduced in the British House, was the result of treaty arrangements among the independent provinces. It seemed to him absurd to say that its terms could be varied in the fashion proposed.

Mr. Mara said the member for Bothwell (Mr. Mills) had fully answered himself. The arrangement with British Columbia was a treaty, and part of that treaty was that the province should have six members until her population, on the basis of the general provisions of the constitution, entitled her to more. British Columbia was given a provincial indemnity far more than she was entitled to under the general provisions of the law.

Mr. Davies said he sympathized with the spirit of the argument of the gentleman who had last spoken. He did not say he objected to British Columbia having six members, but he believed that, in order to give her the right to six members, the arrangement of 1872 must be ratified, not by an Imperial order-in-council, but by an act of the Imperial Parliament. He did not know whether the leader of the House intended to press the clause, but he thought this was a point worthy of consideration.

Sir John Thompson said that he understood that the power to vary the conditions was one specifically given in relation to new provinces coming in.

Mr. Mills said that if this point was well taken it would be possible by an Imperial order-in-council, with the consent of the Dominion and a new province coming in, to give that new province power to levy customs duties.

Sir John Thompson said that it was at one time proposed that British Columbia should have the power to collect customs duties.

Mr. Corbould said that the animus of the Opposition against British Columbia was manifest, and was to be accounted for by the fact that British Columbia had done so little for them. He contended that it would be a breach of faith to reduce the representation of the province.

Mr. Laurier said that there was not the slightest feeling against British Columbia on the part of the Opposition, and he could see no reason why there should be. This was simply a legal point of importance, which should be settled. As for the remark that British Columbia had done nothing for his side of the House, that was more the misfortune of British Columbia than of the Opposition.

After further discussion the clause was passed.

British Columbia is surely interested in knowing whether the law is so framed as to secure the right conferred on her by treaty. If not, it would appear to be open to any person in the Eastern provinces to attack her position and attempt to reduce her representation. The Liberal members who pointed out the danger should be thanked rather than vilified for their work.

THE CUSTOM HOUSE NOT RESPONSIBLE.

The Canada Law Journal reports a case in the Exchequer Court of Canada, the result of which will be a surprise to most people, who imagine that the Government is responsible for the safety of goods while in the possession of the custom house pending clearance by the owners. Mr. Corse and others sought to recover from the crown the sum of $465.74 and interest for the duty-paid value of a quantity of glaziers' diamonds alleged to have been stolen from a box while at the examining warehouse in Montreal. Although the evidence that the theft was committed in the examining warehouse was not conclusive, the court drew that inference for the purposes of the case, and held that the crown is not liable therefor. The court said:

"In such a case the crown is not a bailee. The temporary control and custody of the goods imported into Canada, which the law gives to the officers of the customs, to the end that such goods may be examined and appraised, is given for the purpose of the better securing the collection of the public revenue. Without such a power, the state would be exposed to frauds against which it would be impossible to protect itself. For the loss of any goods while so in the custody of the customs' officers the law affords no remedy except such as the injured person may have against the officers through whose personal act or negligence the loss happens."

This, in all probability, is law, but it doesn't seem to a layman to be justice. The diamonds in question were admitted to have been stolen from a box in bond in a warehouse, between February 21st and 26th, 1890, and during some stage of a journey made by the box between the several departments of the warehouse, and while in the possession of different customs officers. The thief was not discovered, but, as already stated, the theft was admitted and responsibility for the loss was disputed by the Crown.

It will occur to some people not lawyers to ask who would be responsible in cases where the customs officers are clearly not to blame? Suppose the examining warehouse on Whrrf street were broken into when Mr. Shears and his men are not on duty. A parcel worth it may be one thousand dollar is stolen. The warehouse is provided by the Government, and every precaution that was deemed necessary to strengthen it was taken, but after all it was not burglar proof. A little dynamite knocked the rusty locks off, and a package belonging to a Victoria merchant is carried off. Under the ruling of the Exchequer Court the Government which provided an unsafe building is not responsible for the loss, but the unfortunate Mr. Page may be proceeded against. And, as that gentleman is financially responsible, it is very likely that he would be mulcted to the full amount of the loss, provided that a jury could be found stupid enough to believe that he was morally and legally responsible.

This suppositious case is not an unlikely one. It is possible that a jury might decide that Mr. Page was not legally liable, for juries have been known to take a different view of the law from the judges who instructed them. In that case, it would follow that no person was responsible, and the unfortunate merchant whose goods were stolen would very naturally conclude that he alone was culpable in having entrusted them to the customs department. He would not, he might fairly argue, have run any greater risk had he brought them into the country by the underground line, which does not stop at customs houses. And he would be more fully confirmed, we venture to think, in this view when Collector Milne required of him the full amount of the duty on the stolen package, which the Crown, not being responsible for the loss, would be legally bound to collect.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Mayor Beaven's position is a responsible one and no one seems to know that fact better than Mayor Beaven. But the office in Victoria is not half as responsible as in a city of Spain, where the populace recently mobbed the chief magistrate because the bull fight did not go off as they wished. A mayor there can do what he likes with the government of the city provided the bull fight is up to the mark and either of the brutes is killed. This indifference to general civic affairs is not, however, a characteristic confined exclusively to the Spaniards. In some Canadian cities the mayor and council may do as they please, provided the taxes are not piled on too heavily.

The Speaker announced in the House of Commons the other day that the Laprairie election case had been dismissed. This was the case in which the petition alleged very extensive corruption against the Conservative managers, with money procured from contractors and from beneficiaries of the N.P. There is little doubt that Mr. Pelletier's own election was the occasion for much bribery, but there seems to have been a "saw-off" arranged. It is a pity that the Laprairie case was not investigated by the court if the allegations made in the petition were true.

"SENEX."

TO THE EDITOR:—Whoever the person may be assuming the above nom-de-plume in this morning's Colonist makes but little difference to the class distinctively mentioned in his unmannerly slurs of representative religious denominations aiding the ennobling cause of charity at the Hospital bazaar. "Moses in the bulrushes," certainly holds in the civilized nations of the earth, as prominent a position in the scale of elevating the human race. How strange it does appear that any person imbued with a proper standard of moral ethics should support so shallow an illusion of mental imbecility as the said "Senex." Religion is entirely out of the question in promoting charitable deeds. Many labor that absolutely have no religious belief, the good of humanity being the incentive. It may not be too much to hope that when "Senex" obtains a better knowledge of wordly matters, he will not by insinuation display such acerbity towards the JEW.

THE SIDNEY RAILWAY CHINESE CLAUSE.

TO THE EDITOR:—The remark in today's issue of the News that the Chinese clause in the Sidney Railway By-law "would be the first time that Chinese were successfully excluded from railway construction in this country" is an error; and is one that I hope you will be pleased to allow me to correct. In "an Act to incorporate the Victoria & Saanich Railway Company," chapter 29, 1886—over six years ago—you will find in section 1, that the corporators were A. DeCosmos, James Fell, A. A. Green, W. P. Sayward, D. R. Harris and John Ash. Section 19, first clause, thus reads: "This Act is passed upon the express understanding that no Chinese, either directly or indirectly, shall be employed in or about or concerning any work or services authorized by this act, or required by the company to be done or performed." The remainder of this clause imposes penalties for its violation. Section 20 imposes successive penalties. Section 21 defines the meaning of Chinese. Section 23 deals with evidence. Section 28 makes provision that convictions shall not be quashed for want of form. Now in the Sidney by-law, so far as I know, a Chinese clause has not yet been introduced. But in the draft bond drawn by the Attorney-General I find only the following words: Sec 11. "Provided always that Chinese shall not be employed in the construction of the said railway." Not another word in the by-law or bond about the exclusion of Chinese labor. Section 11. concludes that if the by-law be not submitted to the ratepayers, or is defeated, then the agreement shall be null and void. The object of the item in the News is evidently intended to delude the ratepayers. If not, copy the Chinese clauses of 1886.

A. DECOSMOS.

DOWN FROM CARIBOO.

The Barkerville Hospital Burned—Promising Prospects.

Dr. Alfred T. Watt, son of Dr. Hugh Watt, late of Cariboo, came down from that far-off district by last night's boat. The doctor has had charge of the Provincial Hospital at Barkerville for the past six months, having succeeded his father in that position. He will now re-engage in practice in Victoria, and the many friends whom he made during his residence here in 1891 will be glad to welcome him back. It may be noted here that the hospital building was accidentally destroyed by fire a few days after he left Cariboo, and he thought it strange that no news of the disaster had yet reached the city. There were four patients in the hospital at the time of the fire, all of whom escaped without injury, and all of the bedding is believed to have been saved.

The doctor met many strangers on their way into the district, those looking for mining investments being mostly bound for the Forks of Quesnelle section, but there are also quite a number of settlers going into the Chilcotin country to engage in ranching.

The new claims at the Forks are in operation but there was no news of the prospects.

The news of a rich strike on Snow Shoe creek is confirmed. The fortunate owners of the claim, which is known as the Golden Gate, realizing six ounces to the set of timbers.

The Slough Creek company had got their machinery on the ground and would commence work on the arrival of their engineer who went up on last week's stage.

Mr. Samson who is the inventor of a new device for saving fine gold, has gone up to the Peace River country to test his device there. He had a large pack train with provisions, etc., and will not be heard of till the close of the season.

There had been a heavy fall of snow in the mountains last winter, but owing to the cold weather it was going away very gradually, which suits the needs of the miners best, and may not result in the dangerous floods that had been feared on the lower Fraser.

The farming section of the district had been favored with plentiful rain and the crops gave promise of a bountiful harvest.

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The Glorious 4th.

C.P.N. Company's steamer Yosemite goes to Port Angeles on the 4th. The people there are getting up a very fine programme. No doubt a large number will go from here.

At Cedar Hill.

The gentlemen who volunteered to take the city folks to Cedar Hill last evening in their hay wagons found that they had pretty good loads. A large number went out and spent a pleasant evening with the ladies.

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Strawberries and Music.

A very pleasant strawberry festival was given by the Y. P. S. C. E. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church at Spring Ridge Mission hall last evening. The attendance was good and the concert given by the members of the society was much enjoyed.

Tuck's Certificate Suspended.

The charge against Mr. S. P. Tuck of not finishing Government work that he had been paid for, was last evening investigated by the Provincial Land Surveyors' Association. The association decided to suspend Mr. Tuck's certificate for six months.

Something Interesting Promised.

It is expected that there will be some new developments in the Canada Western scheme before the week is out. The gentlemen interested were not talkative to-day, but said everything was going on smoothly and that they would have something interesting in a day or so.

The Lucky Numbers.

The twenty-sixth drawing of the Victoria Building Society was held last night in Sir William Wallace hall. The successful number was No. 11, A B and C. The first two are held respectively by Alexander Semple and Mrs. M. A. McCulloch, entitling them to the appropriation of $1000 each. George Borthwick, holder of shares C and D, obtains a loan of $2000.

The Only Alternative.

The various wagon loads of dirt which daily perambulate the streets, going to and fro between the excavations for buildings in different quarters, leave a rich array of earthy souvenirs on the roadway. The watering carts do the rest, and the "wild mob's million feet" complete the businessby carrying the wet, clinging clay into stores, street cars, offices, houses and wherever people go in the course of business. There has been more hard swearing and profuse profanity over this circumstance than since the fall of the tower of Babel; but there seems to be no remedy, as the wagons must go and the sprinklers must flow and the public must grin and bear it.

Antique Dinner Service.

Curator J. Fannin, of the Provincial museum has just placed on view in that institution a dinner service, which as an antiquity and for originality of design will compare well with the rarest Japanese and Chinese porcelain. It is a set of dishes once used by one of the ancient families of Queen Charlotte islands and consists of 30 perfect pieces, all gems in their line. There are 22 dishes of curious fashion, laboriously carved of cedar, inlaid with shells, and all bearing the family crest. The collection also includes 8 goat horn spoons and a doctor's rattle of puffin bills and bones. These articles are well worth seeing.

The Ubiquitous Urchin.

Last night a number of small boys bent on seeing what was going on in the Assembly hall, climbed on to the fence at the rear of the building and craned their necks through a window. Sergeant Hawton strolled around to see what mischief they were up to, when one of their number spied the officer and cried out "see the cop." There was a general scramble to come off the fence, but just then down came the window and almost guillotined one of the boys, striking him fairly across the neck. The glass in the window was smashed to atoms, but before the constable could get on the scene the boys had disappeared like so many rats, presumably by diving under the building.

Purely Irish.

"The Gossoon," the new Irish drama to be played here to-morrow and Friday nights, with that popular young singing and dancing comedian, Caroll Johnson, as the star, is as remarkable as it is original. It may, with justice be said, that this pretty play is a link that binds the Irish drama of the past to the Irish drama of the future. It is fresh with breezes of the Green Isle, and has the fragrance of the shamrocks about it. While winessing it the audience is carried across the water to that romantic and tradition enveloped land—Ireland. M. E. E. Kidder, the author, has injected into this beautiful play the mysterious elixir of his genius that stimulates the brain and sets the heart pulse throbbing. He has vitalized the chords of Nature's harp and they vibrate with the music that finds its echo in the universal human heart. The play is good in the superlative sense for it appeals to the American, the German, the Englishman, as well as the Irishman.

One of the Finest.

Work on the fine steamer Joan, of the E. & N. Railway fleet, is far advanced, and the boat looks exceedingly pretty even in her present guise. The dining saloon will be one of the handsomest in the Pacific coast fleet, and no pains are being spared to achieve this result. The staterooms are airy, well lighted and cosy and will be furnished in first class style. The vessel's cargo deck is capacious and capable of holding a great quantity of freight. Everything about the boat, from engine room to pilot house, is trim and neat, the arrangement of the various compartments showing admirable economy of space. The riggers were busy in the steamer to-day. A novelty on a coast steamer is the smokestack of the Joan, oval in shape, after the pattern of those on the Atlantic racers. It gives the boat a smart and speedy appearance. The Joan will be ready for service early in July and will at once take her place on the northern route. She is bound to be a favorite.

High Grade Pianos.

Newcombe pianos, six grades, just arrived at Kerr & Begg's bookstore, 45 Government street. *

Doomed Dogs.

The industrious dog catcher has five canines of different complexion in the civic cage. They will be auctioned on Saturday and if not sold will be suffocated.

Strawberry Festival.

The ladies of the Gorge road church will hold a strawberry festival and concert this evening, in the school room. A long and interesting programme has been arranged.

In Chambers.

McPherson vs. Flummerfelt to demur for want of prosecution. Adjourned. Hyams vs. Moser to sign judgment under order XIV. Leave granted to defend upon payment into county of the amount.

Married Last Evening.

Mr. J. S. Murray, of Tacoma, and Mrs. Blacker, of Seattle, both well known in Victoria and on the Sound, were married last evening at the residence of Mr. S. Horsley, Johnson street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. Watson.

For the South.

The steamship City of Puebla sailed for San Francisco this morning with the following passengers from this port: S. M. Bell and wife, Mrs. Schaff, Miss Skinner, Miss McDowell, Miss Baines, K. Kancelles, Mrs. S. Vrooman, Mrs. Schwartz, Alex. Phillips, Mrs. W. Jones, Miss Chambers, J. Brooks.

Horse vs. Bicycle.

The race between C. A. Gordon, on a Rudge pneumatic wheel, and D. E. Campbell's trotter Diamond, will take place at Beacon Hill to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. The race is for half a mile, starting in front of Corrig College, and will be for $100 trophy. Mr. Campbell is confident Diamond will move ahead of the wheel.

Civic Notices.

Ald. W. D. McKillican gives notice that he proposes introducing a by-law to amend the Estimates By-Law of 1892 and also a by-law to amend the Market By-Law. Ald. Joseph Hunter also gives notice of intention to move for leave to introduce a by-law for levying a rate on rates on all lands, real property, or improvements upon the assessment roll of 1892.

Unclaimed Baggage Sold.

A lot of unclaimed baggage which had accumulated in the C. P. N. Company's shed was to-day sold by auction. The speculative were given a chance to speculate and in some cases they got their money's worth, while in others they found it cheaper to dump the contents of the trunks into the harbor than to pay express hire. Proprietors of second-hand stores were the chief purchasers.

A Troubled Bicycle Teacher.

There is a young bicyclist in town who is the subject of much chaffing at the hands of his companions. The other evening he undertook to give lessons to a young lady who had just acquired a wheel; but not a knowledge of how to run the machine. All went well until the fair bicyclist began to pedal vigorously, when one of her feet slipped and was instantly lost among the spokes of the wheel and the gearing. The young man, who is naturally of a cool disposition, became almost excited when he found after several attempts that he could not extricate his fair pupil. As a last resource her shoe was cut off and a happy release followed. The young lady fortunately escaped serious injury.

J. N. Muir and the Church.

From the report of the proceedings of the Presbyterian General Assembly in the Montreal Herald of the 15th inst., the following extract is taken: "An appeal case was next dwelt with. Mr. J. N. Muir appealed from the action of the Presbytery of Columbia for suspending him. On motion of Dr. Forrest and Mr. Chisholm the finding of the Assemby was in the following terms: Sustain the appeal inasmuch as notwithstanding the vexatious conduct of Mr. Muir the Presbytery in summarily suspending him *sine die* dealt with undue severity. At the same time express sympathy with the Presbytery in the unusual difficult circumstances of the case and declare the conduct of Mr. Muir in publishing a document of the character submitted highly censurable, nevertheless remove the suspicion now resting on him, and in the interests of peace instruct the session to give him a letter of dismission that he may seek admission to another congregation, and enjoin Mr. Muir henceforth to seek earnestly to live peaceably with all men."

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

L. Guichon, of Guichon's Landing, is in town.

R. E. Leonard, of Vancouver, is in the city.

Police-officer Stroud Redgrave is still very ill.

Rev. R. Jamieson, of Westminster, is in the city.

Dr. Watt, jr., returned from Barkerville last night.

James Crawford returned last night from the Mainland.

E. S. Farwell will return to Farwell to-morrow morning.

Malcolm Blomefield goes to Liverpool by the C.P.R. and Cunard line.

Officer Cameron, of the city police force who has been ill for about a week, is getting better.

Mrs. E. J. McCall left for Liverpool this morning by the C.P.R. and steamship City of Paris.

Harry Young, of this city, and Miss Stella Sherman, of Tacoma, are to be married at Tacoma this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Burbank left for California to day to try the effect of the salubrious climate of the Golden State upon Mrs. Burbank's health.

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The Spring Ridge Ward School Again Wins Premier Robson's Medal.

The Closing Exercises of the Junior Divisions of the Central School.

The Spring Ridge ward school for the fourth time in its existence carried off Hon. John Robson's prize for the first of the ward schools. The prize was awarded to George Clarke, at the closing exercises of the school held this morning. Inspector Wilson occupied the chair and, in a short speech complimented the principal, Miss Barron, and her teachers on the success they had attained. Trustee Richards was also present and made a few remarks.

The following programme was rendered by the pupils:—

Opening Song.....The School
Recitation—"Mrs. Rabbit's School."..M. Lyons
"The Little Weaver,".....Maud Field
"Rover in Church,".....Lillie Cohen
Song—"The Bird's Return,".....Grace Phillips
Song—"Good-bye,".....School

PROMOTION.

From First Primer to Second Primer, Miss Edwards, teacher: Valgerdur Myrdal, Maude Field, Stanley Warring, Mabel Field, Joenina Johnson, Kirstruna Johnson, Ernest Harris and Sara Philo equal, Lionel Cohen, Willie Maynard, Stanley Christiansen, Blanche Owens, Lily Kessler, Beatrice Eden, John Anderson, Matilda Gaerdes.

From Chart to First Primer: Verina Wilders, Violet Clarke, Phyllis Wilders, Daisy Christopher, Olive Biggott, Maggie Malcolm, Mabel Lyons and Louise Hooson equal, Wilson Ashe, Harry Beckman, John Creed and Jessie Leigh, equal, Harry Brown.

From junior to second reader, Miss Northcott, teacher—Alfred Charles Chislett, Florence Georgiana Mills, Andrew Goodmand, Mary Maud Elliott, Henrietta Barnswell, Sara Jane Dearden, Celia Viola Tugwell, Arthur Russell McLellan, Laura May Clarke, William George McKnight, Grace Caroline Phillips, Hannah Elizabeth Wall.

From second primer to second reader—Emily J. Kaye, Daisy King, Maud Harvey, Rosalia Banfield, Leonard Harris, Robert McLachlin, Jennie Malcolm, Elizabeth Field, Fred. Jenkins, James Goodman, Adolphus Cohen, Loyel Amsey Sherk, Mary L. J. McDonald, Alexander Tait, Jennie McDonald, Christiana Christiansen, Malvina Meunier, Willie Piggott, Edward Townsley, Emily McKnight, Annie Tait.

From third reader to Central School, Miss Barron, teacher—George W. Clarke, Fred. Egerton Ewart, Edith Ann Jenkins, John Chapman, Frances E. Bulman, Lily S. Cohen, Victoria E. Penketh, Agnes N. Anderson, Albert E. Long, Willie Creech, Lizzie Thomson.

From junior 2nd reader to third reader—Catharine Chapman, Sara Bulman, Gladys Wilders, Frederick Janes, Charlie Post, Heber Dicks, Hester Harvey, Leonard Leigh, Ralph Banfield, Lizzie Scowcroft, Maggie White.

PROVINCIAL ROLLS OF HONOR.

First Division.—General Proficiency, George Clarke; Regularity, Agnes Anderson; Deportment, Maggie Johnson.

Second Division.—General Proficiency, Alfred Cuislett; Regularity, John Thompson; Deportment, Rosalie Banfield.

Third Division.—General Proficiency, Valgerdur Myrdal; Regularity, Willie Maynard; Deportment, Maud Field.

THE CENTRAL SCHOOL.

The pupils of the four junior divisions of the boys' and girls' schools assembled in the gymnasium at 2 o'clock this afternoon for their closing exercises. The hall had been splendidly arranged, and prettily decorated. A large raised platform with seats for the pupils was well filled by the several hundred children present. The scene was a pretty one, when the children were seated in tiers one above the other. There were a large number of visitors present who greatly enjoyed the songs, recitations and exercises rendered by the pupils. The choruses were particularly pretty. The following was the

PROGRAMME.

Bugle Call.....All
Opening Song.....Girls
Recitation....."Jackdaw of Rheims,".....V. div. Girls
Song....."Still like Dew,".....Boys
Recitation....."We'll Try,".....VII. div. Girls
Song....."This Way and That,".....VII. and VIII. div. Boys
Song....."Round,".....Girls
Recitation.....Motherless Turkeys,".....John Carmody
Song....."Some Folks,".....Boys
Song....."Under the Apple Tree,".....VII. and VIII. Boys
Recitation....."A Question in Arithmetic,".....Harry Cross
Song....."Sea-Shell's Whisper,".....Girls
Recitation..."Granny's Bonnet,".....Ray Silvester
Song....."Children's Play,".....VII. and VIII. div. Boys
Manual Singing.....
Recitation....."The Mill,".....VII. div. Girls
Song....."If You Are a Dunce,".....Boys
Song....."See the Rain is Falling,".....All
Recitation..."Mouse and Cake,".....Roy Spragg
Song....."By and By,".....Girls
Song—(motion).....,"Pussies,".....VII. and VII. div. Boys
Recitation....."From Alice Through a Looking Glass,".....V. div. Girls
Song....."Baby,".....Girls
Song....."British Grenadiers,".....Boys
Closing Song.....All
Promotions, etc.....
"God Save the Queen."

BOYS' DEPARTMENT PROMOTION LIST.

VIII. to VII. Division—Miss G. H. Fawcett, teacher—W. Gillespie, Malcolm McDonald, William Wrathall, Henry White, Guy Goddard, Alexander Smith, Frank Wm. Arthur Turner, Ralph Wales, Stanley George Bridges, Henry Joseph Cross, Robert Barber, Arthur Douglas Belyea, William Williscroft, Wm. David Kinsey, Wm. Edward Draney, Chas. Henry Cruickskanks, Clifford Pearson, Herbert Appleby, Milton Oliver Cameron, James Douglas Harrison, Bertram Leonard Hewartson, Chas. Ivor Dowdall, Jno. Campbell Petticrew, Alfred Lemm, Sydney James Phillips, Henry Sylvanus Moss.

From VII. to VI. Division, Miss S. Kermode, Teacher—Roy Geo. Spragge, Wm. Wentworth Jones, Wm. Lionel Nicolle, Wm. Frank Harrison, Harvey Fraser, Frederic Heywood Gordon, Charles Robinson, Sinclair John Herd, Richard Nicholas Stevens, William George Russell Lemm, Henry Hartnell, Samuel Leonard Smith, Leslie Gilmore Henderson, William Campbell Petticrew, Frank McKay Watkins, George Stairs Brown, Frank Ernest Draney, William Walter Barnswell, Edwin Alfred Hiscocks, Charles Richard Watkins, Roy Wolford, William Francis Hoskings, Nello May Smith, Cecil Chester Janion, James Thomas Holness, Ernest Alfred Savage, William Allen McMillan, Nelson Powell McDonald.

From VI. Division to V. Division—Miss G. H. Withrow, Teacher—Walter Duncan, Charles Maclean, Marriot Stillwill, Nigil O'Brian, Gordon Grant, Percival Krott, Thomas Mills, Benjamin Pettingill, William Marshall, James Robertson, Roy Dier, Albert Shanks, Carl Kroeger, Harold Lukes, Richard Lowe, John Carmody, Alexander Vaughan, Frederic Fuggle, Robert Johnson, Charles Keown, Louis Harrington, John McCrimmon.

From V. Division to IV. Division—E. E. Sylvester—John Gaerdes, George Dawson, Claude Wales, Donald Greig, Ray Rome, Harold Marchant, Charles Hancock, William Smith, Orlando Vaughan, Hope Herd, Harry Proctor, James Nicholl, Thomas Hillier, Charles Miller, James Hickey, William Keown, Charles Radford, Roi Goodacre, John Coughlan, Horace Mansell, Walter Luney.

HONOR LIST.

Tenth Division.—Proficiency, John H. Gaerdes; Deportment, William Edward Keown; Regularity and Punctuality, Orlando Vaughan; First prize in Proficiency, John Henry Gaerdes.

Sixth Division.—General Proficiency, Walter Duncan; Deportment, William Marshall; Regularity and Punctuality, Richard Keeler.

Seventh Division.—Proficiency, Roy George Spragge; Deportment, Sinclair John Herd; Regularity and punctuality, Wm. F. Hoskings.

Eighth Division.—Deportment, Wm. Williscroft; General Proficiency, Wm. Gillespie; Regularity and Punctuality, James Barker.

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CHAPTER XI.

GALAZI BECOMES KING OF THE WOLVES.

On the morrow Umslopogaas awoke, and all that day rested in the cave, while Galazi went out to hunt. In the evening Galazi returned, bearing a buck upon his shoulders, and they skinned the buck and ate of it as they sat by the fire. And when the sun was down Galazi took up his tale:

"Now, Umslopogaas, son of Mopo, hear! I had passed the forest, and had come, as it were, to the legs of the old Stone Witch. Here the sun shone merrily, and though it grew toward the evening I was afraid no more. So I climbed up the steep rock till I came to the knees of the Stone Witch, which are the space before the cave. I lifted my head over the brink of the rock and looked, and my blood ran cold and my heart turned to water, for there, before the cave, rolled wolves many and great. Some slept and growled in their sleep; some gnawed at the skulls of dead game; some sat up like dogs, and their tongues hung from their grinning jaws. I looked, I saw, and beyond I discovered the mouth of the cave, where the bones of the boy should be.

"But I had no wish to come there, who was afraid of the wolves, for now I knew that these were the ghosts who live upon the mountain. So I bethought me that I would fly, and turned to go. And even as I turned the great club Watcher of the Fords swung around and smote me on the back. Now whether this was by chance or whether the Watcher would shame him who bore it I do not know. I swung up the Watcher, and crying aloud the war cry of the Halakazi I sprang over the brink of the rock and rushed upon the wolves. They, too, sprang up and stood howling, with bristling hides and fiery eyes. Yet when they saw it was a man that rushed upon them they fled this way and that, leaping with great bounds from the place of rock, which is the knees of the Stone Witch, so that presently I stood alone in front of the cave. Now I walked to the mouth of the cave proudly and looked in through the opening. As it chanced the sinking sun shone at this hour full into the cave, so that I could see the end.

"Look now! There is a hole in the wall of the cave, where the firelight falls below the shadow of the roof, twice the height of a man from the floor. It is a narrow hole and a high, and a man might sit in it, his legs hanging toward the floor of the cave. And there a man sat—or that which had been a man—and the black skin had withered on his bones, holding them together and making him awful to see. His hands were open beside him; he leaned upon them, and in the right hand was a piece of hide from his moocha. It was half eaten. His eyes were also bound around with a band of leather, as though to hide something from their gaze; one foot was gone, one hung over the edge of the niche toward the floor, and beneath it, on the floor, lay the blade of a broken spear.

"Now come hither; place your hand upon the wall of the cave, just here; it is smooth—smooth as the stones on which women grind their corn. 'What made it so smooth?' you ask. I will tell you.

"When I peered through the door of the cave I saw this: On the floor of the cave lay a she wolf, very great and fierce. Near to her was another wolf—he was a dog—on his feet. As I watched he drew back near to the mouth of the cave; then of a sudden he ran forward and bounded high into the air toward the withered foot of that which hung from the cleft of the rock. His paws struck upon the rock here where it is smooth, and there for a second he seemed to cling, while his great jaws closed with a clash but a spear's breadth beneath the dead man's foot. Then he fell back and drew slowly down the cave. Again he ran and leaped, again the great jaws closed, again he fell down, howling. Then the she wolf arose, and they sprang together, striving to pull him down who sat above. But it was all in vain; they could never come nearer than within a spear's breadth of the dead man's foot. And now you know why the rock is smooth and shines. Night upon night they had leaped thus against the wall of the cave, but never might their clashing jaws close upon his foot. One foot they had indeed, but the other they might not come by.

"Now as I watched, filled with fear and wonder, the she wolf, her tongue lolling from her jaws, made so mighty a bound that she almost reached the hanging foot, and yet not quite. She fell back, and then I saw that the leap was her last for that time, for she had oversprung herself, and lay there howling, the black blood flowing from her mouth. The wolf saw also; he drew near, sniffed at her, then, knowing that she was hurt, seized her by the throat and worried her. The she wolf grew faint, for the white fangs of her mate were buried in her throat. Then I saw that now was the time to smite him, lest when he had killed her he should kill me also. So I lifted the Watcher and sprang into the cave, having it in my mind to slay the wolf before he lifted up his head. But he heard my footsteps, or perhaps my shadow fell upon him. Loosing his grip he looked up; then, making no sound, he sprang straight at my throat. I smote him with all my strength. The blow met him in midair and struck him to the earth. But before I could smite again, once more he sprang at me. I leaped aside and smote downward, and the blow broke his right leg, so that he could spring no more. Yet he ran at me on three feet, and seized me with his teeth, biting through that leather bag which was wound about my middle, into the flesh behind. Then I yelled with pain, and lifting the Watcher endways, drove it down with so great a stroke that the skull of the wolf was shattered and he fell dead, dragging me down with him. Presently I sat up, and forcing the Watcher between his jaws levered them open, freeing my flesh from the grip of his teeth. Presently I glanced up and saw that the she wolf had found her feet again, and stood as though unhurt; yet she did not look at me or on her dead mate, but at him only who sat above. I crept softly behind her; then, lifting my Watcher, I dashed him down with all my strength. The blow broke her neck, so that she rolled over dead.

"Now I rested awhile, then went to the mouth of the cave and looked out. The sun was sinking; the depth of forest was black, but the light still shone on the face of the stone woman on the mountain. Here, then, I must bide this night, for I dared not wend toward the plains alone with the wolves and the ghosts. And if I dared not go alone, how much less should I dare to go bearing with me him who sat in the cleft of the rock! Nay, here I must abide, and feeling that I must do something lest I should go mad, I drew to me the carcass of the great dog wolf which I had killed, and taking my knife of iron I began to skin it by the light of the moon. For an hour or more I skinned, singing to myself as I worked, and striving to forget him who sat in the cleft above and the howlings which ran about the mountains.

"Now the skin was off. I cast it behind me, and seizing the carcass dragged it to the edge of the rock and left it. Presently the howlings drew near again; again I saw the gray shapes creep up one by one.

"Did I sleep or did I wake? Nay, I do not know. But I know this, that of a sudden I seemed to look up and see. I saw a light—perchance, it was the light of the moon shining upon him that sat aloft at the end of the cave. I looked, or seemed to look, and then I thought that the hanging jaw moved, and from it came a voice that was harsh and hollow.

"'Hail, Galazi, child of Siguyana!' said the voice. 'Galazi the Wolf! Say, what dost thou here in the Ghost mountain, where the Stone Witch sits?'

"Then I answered, or seemed to answer:

"'Hail, Dead One, who sittest like a vulture on a rock! I do this on the Ghost mountain—I come to seek thy bones and bear them to thy mother for burial.'

"'Many and many a year have I sat aloft, Galazi,' answered the voice, 'watching the ghost wolves leap and leap to drag me down, till the rock grew smooth beneath the wearing of their feet. So I sat seven days and nights, being yet alive, the hungry wolves below and hunger gnawing at my heart. So I have sat many and many a year, being dead in the heart of the old Stone Witch. Yet my mother was young and fair when I trod the haunted forest and climbed the knees of stone. How seems she now, Galazi?'

"'She is white and aged and very wrinkled,' I answered. 'They call her mad, yet at her bidding I came to seek thee, Dead One, bearing the Watcher that was thy father's and shall be mine.'

"'It shall be thine, Galazi,' said the voice, 'for thou alone has dared the ghosts to give me sleep and burial. Hearken, thine also shall be the wisdom of the old witch who sits aloft—thine and one other's. These are not wolves that thou hast seen; they are ghosts of men who lived in ages gone and who must now live till they be slain of men. And knowest thou how they lived, Galazi, and what was the food they ate? When the light comes again, Galazi, climb to the breasts of the Stone Witch and look in the cleft which is between her breasts. There shalt thou see how these men lived. And now this doom is on them: They must wander, gaunt and hungry, in the shape of wolves haunting that Ghost mountain where once they fed till they are led forth to die at the hands of men. Because of their devouring hunger have they leaped from year to year striving to reach my bones, and he whom thou hast slain was the king of them, and she at his side was the queen. Now, Galazi the Wolf, this is the wisdom that I give thee. Thou shalt be king of the ghost wolves, thou and another whom a lion shall bring thee. Gird the black skin upon thy shoulders and the wolves shall follow thee—all the three hundred and sixty and three of them that are left, and let him who shall be brought to thee gird on the skin of gray. Where ye twain lead them, there shall they raven, bringing you victory till all are slain. But know this, that there only may they raven where in life they ravened, seeking for their food. Yet that was an ill gift thou tookest from my mother—the gift of the Watcher—for though without the Watcher thou hadst never slain the king of the ghost wolves, yet bearing the Watcher thou shalt thyself be slain. Now on the morrow carry me back to my mother so that I may sleep where the ghost wolves leap no more. I have spoken, Galazi.'

"Now the Dead One's voice seemed to grow ever fainter and more hollow as he spoke, till at the last I could scarcely hear his words, yet I answered him, asking this of him:

"'Who is it, then, that the lion shall bring to me to rule with me over the ghost wolves, and how is he named?'

"Then the Dead One spoke once more very faintly, yet in the silence of the place I heard his words:

"'He is named Umslopogaas the Slaughterer, son of Chaka, Lion of the Zulu.'"

Now when Umslopogaas heard these words he started up from his place by the fire.

"I am named Umslopogaas," he said, "but the Slaughterer I am not named, and I am the son of Mopo and not the son of Chaka, Lion of the Zulu. You have dreamed a dream, Galazi, or, if it was not a dream, then the Dead One lied to you."

"Perchance this was so, Umslopogaas," answered Galazi the Wolf. "Perhaps I dreamed, or perhaps the Dead One lied. Nevertheless, if he lied in this matter, in other matters he did not lie, as you shall hear.

"After I had heard these words, or had dreamed that I heard them, I slept indeed, and when I woke I remembered the dream that I had dreamed. So I rose, and leaving the cave found a place where I might climb up to the breasts and head of the Stone Witch. I climbed, and as I drew near the likeness to the face of a woman faded away and I saw nothing before me but rugged heaps of piled up rock. Now I was on the breast of the mountain and wandered to and fro awhile between great heaps of stone. At length I found a crack in the stone, and near this crack stood great stones blackened by fire and beneath them broken pots and a knife of flint. I looked down into the crack—it was very deep and green with moss and tall ferns grew about in it. There was nothing else. I had dreamed a lying dream. I turned to go, then found another mind and climbed down into the cleft, pushing aside the ferns. Beneath the ferns was moss. I scraped it away with the Watcher. Presently the iron of the club struck on something that was yellow and round like a stone, and from the yellow thing came a hollow sound. I lifted it. It was the skull of a child.

"I dug deeper and scraped away more moss. Beneath the moss was nothing but bones of men—old bones that had lain there many years; the little ones had rotted, the large ones remained—some were yellow, some black and others yet white. They were not broken as are those that hyenas and wolves have worried, yet on some of them I could see the marks of teeth. Then I went back to the cave.

"Now I skinned the she wolf also. When I had done the sun was up and I knew that it was time to go. But I must not go alone—he who sat aloft in the cleft of the cave must go with me. I feared greatly to touch him—this Dead One who had spoken to me in a dream—yet I must do it. So I brought stones and piled them up until I could reach him. Then I lifted him down, for he was very light, for he was but skin and bones. When he was down I bound the hides of the wolves around me. I placed him on my shoulders, and holding him by that foot which was left on him I set out for the kraal. Down the slope I went till I drew near to the heart of the forest. Then I heard a wolf howl on my right and from the left came answering howls, and these again were answered by others in front of and behind me.

"Now I could see forms of gray and black slinking near my path, sniffing at the air as they went, and now I came to a little open place, and behold! all the wolves in the world were gathered together there. On every side were the brutes, great and hungry. I stood still till they formed a deep circle around me. Presently one sprang, but not at me. He sprang at that which sat upon my shoulders. I moved aside and he missed his aim. Then I remembered the words of my dream, if dream it were, how that the Dead One had given me wisdom that I should be king of the ghost wolves—I and another whom the lion should bear to me. Was it not so? If it was not so how came it that the wolves did not devour me? For a moment I stood thinking, then I lifted up my voice and howled like a wolf, and lo! all the wolves howled in answer. I called to them. They ran to me as though to devour me. But they did not; they licked my legs with their red tongues and pressed themselves against me as does a cat. One, indeed, snatched at him who sat on my shoulder, but I struck him with the Watcher and he slunk back. Moreover, the others bit him so that he yelled. Now I knew that I was king of the ghost wolves, so I walked on, and with me came all the great pack. I walked on and they trotted beside me till at length I came to the edge of the forest.

"Now I must not be seen thus of men, lest they think me a wizard and kill me. Therefore, at the edge of the forest I halted and made signs to the wolves to go back. At this they howled as though in grief, but I called to them that I would come again and be their king. Then they all went, till presently I was alone. And now it is time to sleep. Tomorrow night I will end my tale."

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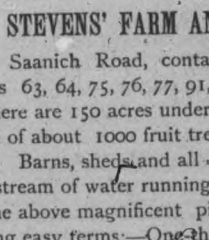

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DOHERTY IS EXONERATED.

The Recommendation of the Executive of the Lacrosse Club is Not Accepted

And President Macgurn and Treasurer Lowe Resign—No Resignations Accepted.

The special general and public meeting of the Victoria Lacrosse Club held in the City Hall yesterday evening for the purpose of receiving and acting upon the committee's report regarding the charges against Frank Doherty, had rather a strong denoument, and the end is not yet.

As usual, in such cases, there was not a good representation of the club present at the hour stated for the meeting, and it was half an hour later that President Macgurn called the meeting to order.

Mr. Macgurn called attention to the fact that hitherto lacrosse had been looked upon as one of the pure amateur games, one in which the selling of a match would be out of the question, and it was the desire and intention of the Victoria Lacrosse Club to keep the national game such as it should be. Serious public charges, however, had been made against one of its members, Frank Doherty, of selling out in the match played with the Vancouver team a couple of weeks ago. A meeting of the executive committee was called to investigate those charges, and the accused was summoned to attend. It was shown at this meeting that a scheme was concocted at a saloon in the city, whereby the gamblers of the place arranged to make money by the match. It was further shown that previous to the match Doherty had practically no money, but after it he had plenty, and that during the match he had not attempted to play the game as he was capable. He excused himself on the ground that he had received word of the serious illness of a member of his family. With regard to the $150 he had after the match, this money Doherty stated he had before coming to the country; but would not state how he got it.

The committee unanimously arrived at the opinion that a prima facie case had been made out and that it was the duty of the accused to prove his innocence, and this he did not do to their satisfaction. The committee then unanimously proposed the following resolution, which it was decided to submit to a general meeting of the club.

The president here left the chair, which was taken by Chas. Hayward.

Mr. Macgurn, as chairman of the executive committee, moved the following resolution, which was seconded by Skene Lowe:

"That in the opinion of this committee Mr. Frank Doherty has failed to explain satisfactorily his conduct during and after the match of June 4th last, and makes no attempt to establish his innocence of the charge of selling the game. We therefore recommend to the club that Mr. Frank Doherty be expelled from membership."

Mr. Davis and Mr. Drury wished to have the whole evidence before the meeting, and another member expressed the belief that the resolution was rather sweeping and might possibly do unmerited injury to Doherty, and suggested that his resignation, which had been sent, be accepted.

Frank Doherty came in at this juncture, and being questioned stated that he had nothing further to say than what he offered before the committee.

President Macgurn pointed out that the meeting was not a court competent to summon witnesses and secure evidence under oath; but the evidence laid before the executive, which was composed of several of the accused's friends, was in their opinion sufficiently strong to warrant his expulsion, and asked if the committee could not be trusted. The fair fame and interest of the club and of the game, he thought, were of more importance than one member who did not attempt to establish his innocence.

The motion was lost and the resolution negatived on a vote of 22 for and 15 against, a two-thirds vote being necessary to carry.

It was then moved by President Macgurn, seconded by D. J. King, that Frank Doherty's resignation be accepted.

This motion was also lost, and President Macgurn immediately declared his intention to resign, as this was tantamount to a vote of want of confidence in the executive.

Treasurer Skene Low also tendered his resignation.

A lively discusssion followed, several members who voted against the motion declaring that they had no intention of expressing non-confidence in the officers of the club, Mr. Drury stating that if Mr. Macgurn persisted in his intention of resigning it would be most disastrous to lacrosse in British Columbia. The fact that Mr. Macgurn was at the head of the club was sufficient guarantee that it would be conducted honorably.

It was moved by Skene Low, seconded by C. H. Cullin, that Mr. Macgurn's resignation be accepted. An amendment, however, offered by P. W. Blight, that the consideration of both the President's and Secretary's resignations be left over for another special meeting of the club, carried, although both officers refused to act further.

T. Cusack, assistant secretary, was appointed a committee to take charge of the club's papers and receive moneys until the matter is settled, and the meeting then adjourned.

WHERE ARE THE POLICE?

To the Editor:—There is a small section of the dear public that yearn for the earth, the whole earth, and nothing but the earth. They seem to want to crowd the rest of the people off into space, and act as if they didn't care a straw whose convenience they interfered with so long as their precious comfort is not disturbed. I refer, sir, to the string of what-d'ye-call-'ems who daily fringe the narrow temporary sidewalk along the Government street side of the Adelphi excavation. Some of them are not content with merely lounging over the fence as if they had been shot in the stomach, but plant one foot on the outer plank of the walk and place the other on the third slat up from the ground in the fence. In this elegant posture they take up the whole walk, and that seems to make them happy. No less than three of them took this position last evening, and do you think they budged an inch when ladies came along? Well, they didn't, they stood stock still and let the ladies get off in the thick dust and walk around to a clean place on the walk. Such petty tyranny by such human hogs makes one's blood boil. It is surprising that the general public stand it. Where are the police? If one or two of them could be spared from watching the swans at the park and arresting ferocious toy terriers, which audaciously slake their thirst in the park ponds, "contrary to the by-law in such case," etc., etc., they might exercise their muscle in getting those gentlemen of leisure to hustle off that walk. The business public would feel grateful. As the case now stands that walk with its congregation of idle loafers is a serious obstacle to traffic.

Gens Gentis.

ELECTION OF A BISHOP.

To the Editor.—The statement in your paper as to what happened to the three-barrelled resolution for a coadjutor-bishop, with regard to the first day of the synodal meeting, is right. The next day, however, what was left of the whole resolution (namely, the first head) was put and thrown out. Thus the upshot was that nothing was passed. Yet at no time were the clergy *unanimous*.

Furthermore, a great deal too much seems to be taken for granted with regard to the powers of the synod in this and other matters. If the letters patent to Dr. Hills (dated the 12th January, 1859) were made out while British Columbia was *still* a Crown colony (not having an independent legislature) our diocese of the Church of England is *not* a voluntary association and the remarks of the Privy Council in Long vs. the Bishop of Cape Town, and in the matter of the Lord Bishop of Natal, (12 Law Times, 188), have no bearing: and the synod has *no* right to choose a bishop. The having an independent legislature *at the time of* the letters patent is the keystone of these two judgments. When did British Columbia's legislature become independent?

Again, "Mens Legis" is very hopeful about a Canadian local metropolitanship. "This diocese," to quote his words, "is still under the sway of the Archbishop of Canterbury, never having entered the Ecclesiastical province of Canada." But what power has the diocese to do so? The synod is only a limited legislative body. What right has it to contract away the rights of other people? (See Merriman v Williams, 51 Law Journal Privy Council, 95). The English House of Commons, says the Marquis of Salisbury, has no right to sell Ulster into slavery. Has the synod the right to rivet on our necks a local metropolitanship such as that of Dr. Gray, of Cape Town. The day that sees such things will be the beginning of many woes for Vancouver Island.

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TWO LAND GRABBERS.

To the Editor:—In the last number of the London Evening Mail, appears a paragraph dated from Washington, stating, "The foreign relations committee of the Senate has presented its report upon a claim made by two Americans, named Witham and Webster, against Great Britain for compensation for the seizure of half a million acres of land in New Zealand, which the claimants allege were acquired by Webster from native chiefs. The committee in their report recommend the Senate to request President Harrison to propose to Great Britain to submit the question to arbitration. They hold that the seizure in question is a fit matter for special reprisals, but at present do not advise it."

It would have been very interesting if in connection with this remarkable dedand of these two Americans, information had been imparted as to the consideration given to the New Zealand chiefs by these enterprising gentlemen for this enormous block of land, and how it came to pass, seeing that New Zealand is a British colony, that they were satisfied with the title from the native chiefs:

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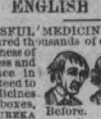

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership lately existing between the undersigned Alexander Phillips and Phillip A. Phillips, as soda water manufacturers at No. 8 Yates street, Victoria, under the firm or style of "Phillips & Son," is dissolved as from this date by mutual consent, and the business will henceforth be carried on by the said Phillip A. Phillips and David A. Phillips under the firm or style of "Phillips Brothers," and they will pay all claims against both firms. All debts due to the firm are to be paid to them.
Dated this 20th day of June, 1892.
A. PHILLIPS.
PHIL. A. PHILLIPS.
Witness: DAVID A. PHILLIPS.
C. Dubois Mason. je21-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date application will be made by the undersigned to the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa for permission to erect and extend a wharf on Lots 539 A and 540 A, fronting on James Bay, Victoria Harbor. Plans showing situation of proposed wharf have been deposited with the Minister of Public Works and in the Land Registry office at Victoria, B.C.
GEO. STELLY.
T. F. SINCLAIR.
Victoria, June 8th, 1892. je9-30t

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in 30 days from date application will be made by the undersigned to the Minister of Public Works for permission to erect and extend a wharf situated on lots 501 A and 502 A, 502 A, 503 A, 504 A and 505 A, fronting on James Bay, Victoria Harbor. Plans of the situation of proposed wharf have been deposited with the Minister of Public Works and at the Registry Office, Victoria.
ALEX. MOUAT.
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NOTICE.

A QUANTITY of my personal papers, letters and other documents having been, on Saturday last thrown out of the window of my office, Turner Block, will any person who may have picked any of them up, kindly return them to me, and oblige
JOHN GRANT.
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Estate of Ira Wilson, Deceased.

All claims against the above estate are to be handed in to the executors, Messrs. George Deans and William Whittaker, who will collect all outstanding debts owing to the estate, which must be settled forthwith. All accounts must be certified and handed in to the undersigned under cover to the above named executors.
JOHN J. AUSTIN,
63 Government Street, Victoria.
Victoria, B. C., June 2, 1892. ju7-tf

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Just received, direct from
ENGLAND AND GERMANY,
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Very Choice Assortment
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THE UNDERSIGNED dry goods firms have agreed to close their places of business on Saturday afternoons from 1 to 6:30 p.m. during June, July and August:

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Spencer's Arcade	D. Spencer
White House	H. Young & Co.
Westside	J. Hutcheson & Co.
Albion House	F. White
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A GOOD RUSTLER can make money by calling at my store and buying my merry-go-round. The outfit consists of horses, engine, tent, sleighs, organ, etc., and is movable. The sale price can be cleared in two holidays. A great success for the right man.
FRANK CAMPBELL.
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The Marquette, Quarter-sawed Sycamore $ 20
The Lakeside, Quarter-sawed Oak 30.00
The Arion, Solid Rosewood, 50.00
The Conservatory, Solid Rosewood, 75.00
MANDOLINS
The Lakeside, Varnished Birch, Maple neck 15
The Arion, Maple and Rosewood 20
The Arion, Same as preceding, inlaid 25
The Conservatory, Solid Rosewood, 50
Fully warranted and the best for the price the world affords. We manufacture all the component parts and are the largest makers on the globe. 100,000 of our instruments now in use. Sold by all leading dealers. Catalog free. Factory at the foot of Lyon & Healy place. Retail warerooms on Wabash Avenue, 21 Illustrated pamphlet mailed free.
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The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

Dec. 30.

NELSON TOWN LOTS

PRESENT PRICES WILL BE ADVANCED AFTER 15TH JULY.

Choice Business and Residence Property for Sale

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WITH SPLENDID RESULTS.

The Hospital Bazaar in Assembly Hall Closes Last Evening With a Dance.

The Ladies Auxiliary Holds a Meeting This Morning to Wind Up the Affair.

The ladies who worked so hard on Monday and Tuesday at the hopital bazaar have good reason to feel proud. There was just as many present last evening as on the previous evening, and among the crowd there were as many, if not more, purchasers. The goods left by the afternoon visitors were readily purchased by those who attended in the evening, but the ladies nevertheless seemed to find more, to fill up the spaces.

The fancy dances given by the children were enjoyed by a large number of ladies and gentlemen, and the little ones were encouraged by the rounds of applause with which they were greeted.

After the names of the winners in the raffles had been read, the floors were cleared and those present enjoyed a dance, the intervals being occupied in auctioning the goods left in the booths. In this way many articles were disposed of.

This afternoon the hall was again thrown open and was soon thronged with ladies who were present for the express purpose of purchasing the remaining articles.

The Ladies' Auxiliary held a meeting this forenoon and went thoroughly into the finances. It was no easy matter squaring accounts, but it was finally accomplished, the result being eminently satisfactory to everyone interested in the bazaar. With the sales of goods left over and disposed of to-day the total amount realized by the bazaar is $3025. The hall was stripped of all its gay fittings this afternoon and looked decidedly bare after the bustle and merriment carried on Monday and Tuesday.

The winners of the various prizes offered in the amber booth were won by the following: The diamond engagement ring in the big wedding cake donated by Mr. H. Clay, was won by Mr. George Rosener; the gold wedding ring by Mr. Charles Waterman: the clock by Mrs. Atkinson; lady's prize in the scales, Mrs. John Haggarty, hand painted glove case; gentleman's prize, Mr. Worlock, silver match safe. Guessing weight of ball. Mr. F. W. Gulpin, travelling companion; guessing beans, Mr. Slim, order on J. Simpson, the tailor; hand-painted mirror by Mrs. W. R. Jackson.

The young ladies who conducted the the amber booth desire to thank the business men of the city and friends from Seattle and Tacoma who donated articles and lent assistance. The winners of the prizes can get them by calling at Miss Hyams' store, Government street. The past exalted ruler of the Seattle Lodge of Elks came over last night at the request of Miss Hyams, to conduct the auction sale at the bazaar.

AN OLD OFFENDER.

He Worked Not, But Would Carry Whisky Indians.

That Satan finds some mischief still for idle hands to do, is exemplified in the case of John Hemming, an old man of 57 years of age, who for years has lived in comparative idleness around the city. John had been living with the Indians of late, acting as their errand boy in making purchases of liquor and packing to their favorite rendezvous. He has been warned several times of late to keep away from the reserve, but straightway forgot the caution, and yesterday evening was caught carrying a bottle of gin to the dwellers on the rancherie. This morning he was brought up before Magistrate Macrae, charged with vagrancy, and admitted the offence. The court took into consideration the circumstances of his case and kindly sent him to prison for two months, where he will be initiated into the mysteries of hard labor.

John H. Lyons, remanded from Saturday on a charge of frequenting a disorderly house, did not appear. Lyons left the city last night, calling down maledections on the heads of the police because they would not allow him to make an honest dollar at his profession. He played a piano in a brothel, and thought the law should protect him. A warrant was issued for Lyons' arrest.

A WONDERFUL CITY.

Budapest, the Capital of Hungary—Its Peculiarities and Growth.

Joseph Pennell in the Century for June: To the world at large, Budapest, the capital and metropolis of Hungary, is the least known of all the important cities of Europe. Several reasons may be assigned for this comparative obscurity. But the most important is the simplest of all; the Budapest of to-day is so new that the world has not had time to make its acquaintance. Its people justly claim for it the most rapid growth in recent years of all the European capitals, and are fond of likening its wonderful expansion to that of San Francisco, Chicago and other American cities.

The finest single street in Budapest is the Andrassy strasse, a broad boulevard connecting the inner city with the "Stadtwaldchen." The Andrassystrasse is perfectly straight and two miles long. It was planned with consummate art, and is one of the most beautiful and effective streets in Europe.

It is divided into three parts by the "Octagon platz," where it crosses the larger ringstrasse, and by the "Rond platz," or "circus," at a point where another encircling boulevard is eventually to cross. As it emerges from the Octagon platz and the Rond platz the street grows successively wider, although this would hardly be noticed by the casual passer. The first third of the distance is devoted to fine buildings of varied architecture, but general conformity, built solidly on the street line. The next third contains houses having narrow foregardens of prescribed width. The last third, a distance of two thirds of a mile, is devoted to separate villa-like residences, all at equal distance from the sidewalks, and, with infinite variety of architectural detail, conforming to the regular street plan. The vista from the entrance of this street to its end in the shady Stadtwaldchen is very beautiful. The broad central driveway is paved with wooden blocks on a solid concrete foundation. The sidewalks are of asphalt, the narrower driveways next the sidewalk are paved with square cut stone blocks, and the equestrian courses, which are between the central and outer driveways, are gravelled. The average of architectural merit is very high, and the absence of anything that can mar the general effect is an important element in the success of this public improvement.

The illumination of Budapest is a monopoly in the hands of a private company. The city obtains gas for street-purposes at reduced rates; it obliges the company to mitigate its charge to consumers in accordance with a sliding scale based upon the increase in aggregate consumption; and, moreover, it collects very heavy taxes from the company.

Street transportation has also been kept under control by the municipality. A united tramway system pays street rentals and large taxes. The company's fares are fixed by law, and it is required that working people shall be carried at reduced rates in the morning and evening. At the expiration of charters, the street railway lines and their equipment will become the property of the city, without indemnity to the private owners.

DIED.

HUMBER—At his father's residence, Topaze avenue, on the 21st instant, Frederick S. S. Humber, an native of Bowmanville, Ont., aged 30 years.

The funeral will take place on Thursday at 2 o'clock and at the Gorge Road Methodist church at 2:30. Friends will please accept this intimation.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 24, at 2 p.m.

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The whole contents of a 5-roomed house, Bedroom Sets, a very fine Sideboard, Lounge, Tables, Cane-bottomed and Common Chairs, Wringer, two Cooking Stoves, one with reservoir, Crockery, and a lot of A 1 Groceries, etc. No reserve. Terms cash.

JAMES MORTIMER,
je22-td Auctioneer.

AUCTION.

Saturday, June 25, at 7 p.m.

At corner Douglas and Chatham Sts.

The whole Stock and Household Effects of G. J. McCraley, Esq. Three dozen Superior Eight-Day Clocks, six Carpet Sweepers and a lot of Silverware, etc.

No reserve. Terms cash.

JAS. MORTIMER,
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G. BYRNES, AUCTIONEER.

Sale of Steamers & Scows

MORTGAGEE'S SALE
AT VANCOUVER,
SATURDAY, JULY 2nd, AT 12 NOON.

I have been instructed by the Mortgagee to sell at Vancouver, in the new McConnell block, opposite Rand Bros., Cordova street, the following property, namely:

The Screw Tug VANCOUVER, 72 feet long, 13 feet 7 inches beam, 5 feet 2 inches depth of hold; registered tonnage, 33.96 tons; fitted with Doty vertical condensing engine (cylinder 12x14 inches).

The Screw Tug SWAN, 42 feet long, 9 feet 5 inches beam, 4 feet 1 inch depth of hold, fitted with upright high pressure Doty engines (cylinders 6½x8 inches); registered tonnage 11.49 tons.

One Scow numbered 1, 80x24 feet; One Scow numbered 2, 60x20 feet; One Scow numbered 5, 88x25 feet; One Scow numbered 6, 60x22 feet; One Scow numbered 7, 65x22 feet.

This is a good chance of buying into a well established and paying business, as there are all the requisites for towing of logs or coal without any further expenditure. The Steamer Vancouver is well known as a powerful Tug Boat.

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A large number of business and residential lots have been sold, and many have changed hands at a good profit. In a short time the Company will advance the price of all lots.

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CLEARANCE SALE

Monday, June 20th, 1892, at the

WESTSIDE.

In order to reduce our large stock QUICKLY, we will on Monday next inaugurate a CLEARANCE SALE, to continue for 30 days. If prices very low are effective, within that time our object should be attained.

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CHALLIES—
200 yards, regular 15c, sale price 5c.
400 yards, Double width, 30c, sale price 7½c.
300 yards, 30 and 35c, sale price 10c.

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1200 yds, usual price 15 & 20c, all marked 10c.

ALBERT TWILL SUITINGS—
Regular price 35 and 40c, now 15c.

SATEENS—
600 yards, 35, 40 and 50c, now 15, 20 and 35c.

ALL WOOL TWEEDS, 44 IN. WIDE—
Regular 65, 75 and 90c, sale price 50c.

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75 to 90c, now 50c.

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White and Striped Fancy Blazers.
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